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SUBJ: TOGO-BENIN BORDER

1. IT IS CONSENSUS OF AFRICAN CHIEFS OF MISSION IN COTONOU THAT TOGOLESE PRES EYADEMA'S VISIT TO CONAKRY IS RELATED AT LEAST IN PART TO THE TOGO-BENIN DIFFERENCES. THEY BELIEVE EYADEMA HAS GONE TO ASK SEKOU TOURE TO USE HIS CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE WITH KEREKOU TO ARRANGE A REOPENING OF BOTH SIDES OF BORDER TO ALL.

2. ZAIRE AMB KUMUAMBA REPORTS THAT BOTH SIDES WANT THE BORDER QUESTION RESOLVED BUT FIND IT IMPOSSIBLE TO DEAL DIRECTLY WITH EACH OTHER BECAUSE OF THE ANIMOSITIES BUILT UP. HE WAS TOLD BY MIN OF INDUSTRY (FORMERLY JUSTICE MIN) OHOUENS THAT HE HAS MADE EIGHT TRIPS TO TOGO SINCE OCT AND ALL HAVE BEEN FAILURES.
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